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In re Application of : DECISION ON PETITION  
Ashraf El-Sadi :  
Application No. 09/943,705 :  
Filed: 08/31/2001 :  
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This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed May 2, 2006, to revive the above-identified application.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to file a timely response to the nonfinal Office Action, mailed August 3, 2005, which set a three-month shortened statutory period for reply. The above-identified application became abandoned on November 4, 2005.

Petitioner has met the requirements to revive the above-identified application pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b). Petitioner submitted the required reply, paid the petition fee, and made the proper statement of unintentional delay. Accordingly, the petition is **granted**.

This matter is being referred to Technology Center Art Unit 2837.

Telephone inquiries specific to this decision may be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3211. All other inquiries concerning either the examination procedures or status of the application should be directed to the Technology Center.

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